



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: A8873

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Appln. No.: 09/671,995

Group Art Unit: 1643

Confirmation No.: 2588

Examiner: K.A. Canella

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For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR TREATING CANCER USING  
IMMUNOCONJUGATES AND CHEMOTHERAPEUTIC AGENTS

**STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on  
January 17, 2006 between the undersigned and Examiner Canella:

**REMARKS**

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) has not yet been received.

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: None.
2. Identification of claims discussed: Composition and kit claims.
3. Identification of art discussed: None.
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: None.

Statement of Substance of Interview  
USSN 09/671,995

5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: Applicant's representative remarked that the claims to compositions and kits are patentable on the basis of unexpected properties, and provided legal precedent consistent with this position.

6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: Examiner asserted that the claims must be limited to synergistic combinations, and noted that claim 105 recites a "synergistic combination."

7. Results of Interview: No agreement was reached.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

**It is believed that no petition or fee is required.** However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

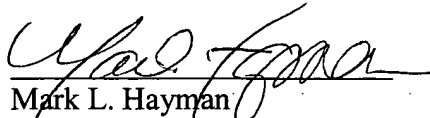
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